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Serial No.: 09/664,993

§ Group Art Unit: 1772

Filed: September 18, 2000

§ Examiner: Sandra M. Nolan-Rayford

For: Oxygen Scavenging with Reduced
Oxidation Products for use in Rigid
Beverage and Food Containers

§ Atty. Docket: 09/127316US1

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